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## STOP EROSION BY DEVELOPING BEACHES ALONG SHORE LINE

Brief Presented To Committee Of Ontario Legislature Who Viewed The Great Damage That Is Taking Place At Various Points Along The Lake — These Beaches Could Be Used For Recreational Purposes.

Hope that the provincial government will take a hand in assisting with the work of preventing further erosion along the shore of Lake Ontario was advanced a step further on Friday, when a select committee of the Ontario Legislature made a tour from Toronto to Grimsby to view at first hand the extensive damage along the lake front.

The committee, set up recently to study conservation in the province, included six members of the Legislature on the Friday tour. Several other members including E. B. Jolliffe, provincial C. C. F. leader, were unable to make the tour.

Included in those present were Farquhar Oliver, O. A. Villeneuve, E. E. Jones, T. O. Hunt, T. Bailey and E. B. McMillan. At each municipality along the route they were met by officials and R. H. Palmer, Scarborough; and C. H. Hillmer, Oakville, both vice-presidents of the Ontario Shore and Beach Preservation Association accompanied the party.

### WINONA COMMUNITY IS TO BE CONGRATULATED

To Date They Have Contributed Over \$4000 To The New Hospital — Fine Leadership.

The ashes had hardly cooled from the disastrous fire which levelled the first West Lincoln Memorial Hospital in 1948, when the people in the Winona area were spurred to action by one of the most energetic women in this great fruit belt. A campaign to raise funds got under way, and before Mrs. M. A. Cudney finished, the building fund for a new and greater hospital was richer by \$1,786.32.

Not content with this drive, this lady, along with the Winona Committee, got working on a Blossom Time Horse Show, the magnitude of which has seldom been seen in this area. It took months and months of planning, but when the last lumber had cleared the toughest obstacle, over sixteen hundred dollars had been raised for the building fund. Included in this amount were the proceeds of a dance held in the Club El Morocco. It too, was an unqualified success.

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## A FINE TRIBUTE

Citizens of West Lincoln should feel mighty proud over a little incident that happened last week at "THEIR OWN HOSPITAL".

At the University of Toronto there is apparently a course for budding architects. The students taking this course are sent out to various types of buildings, newly constructed ones, to study the type of construction.

Last Tuesday nine of these students arrived at the new West Lincoln Memorial hospital. They had been advised by the Department of Health for Ontario that the most modern small community hospital in Canada was the new West Lincoln.

The students spent the whole afternoon at the hospital inspecting every detail of construction and also received an hour long chalk talk "over the plans" from Miss MacRobbie.

Citizens of this Great Fruit Belt who have contributed so generously to the building of this wonderful institution should feel proud that the Ontario Department of Health selected their hospital as the model for these young architects to inspect.

## JORDAN HARBOUR WAS ONCE A THRIVING PORT FOR SHIPPING

Indians Used To Call The Twenty "Kenachdaw"—At One Time The Place Boasted A Shipbuilding Yard—Village Also Had Many Mills.

(St. Catharines Standard)

(The material in the following account was gathered together by a historical research committee of the Union Branch, Women's Institute, with Mrs. Ernest Rittenhouse as convener.)

The history of the Jordan river dates back more than 150 years. Originally it was known as Twenty Mile Creek in reference to its distance from the mouth of the Niagara River where the capital of Upper Canada then lay.

The Jordan River rises in the sand hills of Ancaster and winds 35 miles to meet Lake Ontario at Jordan. On its course it runs past innumerable old mills from the "Maggie's Mill" of popular song fame, through Woodburn, Smithville and St. Ann's before plunging over the mountain above Jordan.

The Indians used to call it "Kenachdaw," the Lead River, for along its ancient banks they collected the dull metal for trade. The town of Jordan has also been called many names from the days of early settlement when it was known as "The Twenty," later as St. Mary, and Bridgeport, and finally Jordan.

To look at Jordan Pond today, it is hard to realize that this was

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## MEMORIAL UNVEILED AT OLD ST. ANDREW'S

Commemorates The Memory Of Members Of The Congregation Who Died In The Last War.

With simple but impressive dignity, the Rt. Rev. W. C. White, acting for the Bishop of Niagara, dedicated the 1939-1945 War Memorial at St. Andrew's Church on Sunday morning.

In the presence of Mayor Clarence W. Lewis, members of the Grimsby Town Council, West Lincoln Branch of the Canadian Legion and its Ladies Auxiliary, the service of unveiling took place in front of the church where a Cross of Sacrifice commemorates the men of the First World War.

The new memorial is a square shaft of stone, bearing on the top surface a bronze sun-dial. The inscription cut in the stone around the dial is from the 113th Psalm—"From the rising up of the sun unto the going down of the same the Lord's name be praised."

The front surface of the stone carries 12 names: Eldred G. Barrow, Richard E. Bertram, John A. Carlton, Joseph Carlton, Robert K. Griffith, David R. Heathcote, Ernest Henley, Allan L. Home, Paul A. C. Maeder, James L. Powell, Walter D. Page, and Francis T. Woolverton.

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## TWO MONTHS FOR TOY GUN HOLD-UP

Magistrate Hallett Imposes "Lenient Sentence" As Accused Had Already Been In Jail Three Weeks.

William Brocklebank, Ontario Street, Grimsby, was sentenced to two months in jail by Magistrate H. D. Hallett, as a result of Brocklebank holding up the Waverley Club in St. Catharines. For this daring bit of drama, the accused used a toy gun, and following his arrest by St. Catharines police, earned the title of the Cap Gun Bandit.

The charge arose out of a holdup at the Waverley Club on St. Paul Street, in which Brocklebank kept the club members at bay with a "gun," and then took one of the members along with him as a "hostage." He obtained about \$14 in cash for his efforts, and then gave some of the money back to the members for what he termed "taxi fare." He escape was short-lived, as he was captured minutes after the holdup, about fifty yards from the Waverley Club.

Witnesses testified that Brocklebank was a normal lad, but was high-strung and likely to do things on the spur of the moment. They said that he had been drinking heavily since he was laid off work.

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## WATER STILL A BIG QUESTION

Much Time Of Township Legislators Is Taken Up With This Issue — New Storage Building For Machinery And Tools Is Now Finished In Beamer Park At A Cost Of \$2500.—

North Grimsby Township Council met for their eleventh regular meeting of the current year, Saturday afternoon, and made plans for nominations, and possible election, by passing a bylaw No. 603, a necessary step at this time to clear the decks for a January 2 election should it be necessary.

Deputy Reeve Sam G. Bartlett's chair was vacant at this meeting. The Deputy Reeve having undergone surgery at West Lincoln Hospital on Thursday. Mr. Bartlett was reported by Reeve Aikens to be making a steady recovery.

The session of council was very routine, and the correspondence file held only important matters to interest the council. High on the important list, was the naming of Tuesday, Nov. 15 as the date set for the hearing by the Municipal Board on the water rates application entered by the township many months ago. The outcome of this hearing is likely to be either a victory for the council, who have battled loud and long with the Town of Grimsby over what the township considers an excessively high water rate, or an issue that has taken up many hours of council's time during their term of office—and all for naught. The outcome of this hearing remains today, as a very important matter with the residents of the township.

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## HISTORY REPEATS IN PLANTING OF TREES

Seedlings From Famous Red Maples On Woolverton Homestead Planted At West Lincoln Hospital.

More years ago than she cares to recall, Mrs. Florence Fleming, daughter of the late E. J. Woolverton, was called by her father to help plant four seedling maple trees on the front lawn of Echo Hall, the Woolverton Homestead, No. 8 Highway, west. Mrs. Fleming admits today that it was with some reluctance that she finally assisted her father, because Mrs. Fleming as a young girl was keenly interested in lawn tennis, and it was right smack in the middle of the two courts on the Woolverton front lawn, that the now famous red maples were planted. As they grew to the beautiful giants they are today, the tennis courts became a thing of the historic past.

This week, Mrs. Fleming accompanied by her granddaughter did not feel at all reluctant as she again helped to plant four seedlings from these famous maples on the land forming the West Lincoln Memorial Hospital. She fervently hopes that these four young seedlings will grow as magnificently as did those she helped plant many years ago. If they do, certainly they will add much beauty to the hospital site, and will fit in perfectly with the landscaping project presently being drafted for the spacious grounds surrounding the pride and joy of West Lincoln County.

## No Decision

The appeal of North Grimsby Council, for a reduction in the rate charged per gallon for water, by the Grimsby Water Commission, was heard by members of the Ontario Municipal Board, in St. Catharines on Tuesday.

After listening to lengthy evidence, presented by officials of both parties concerned, the Board reserved its decision for two weeks and advised the Water Commission and Council Members to get together and try and reach an amiable agreement.

If such an agreement is not reached by the end of the two weeks The Board then will hand down a decision on the question.

## TOWN COUNCIL UP IN THE AIR OVER NEW HIGH SCHOOL AREA

### FORD MAKES 'EM — HE SELLS 'EM



A great many people in this end of the county have met up with genial Jack Clifford, whose daily routine consists primarily with the sale of Ford products through his connection with Harris Motors Ltd. Jack is an Oakville boy, and received his education there and in Three Rivers, Michigan. Two sisters and three brothers make up the balance of the Clifford family, with Jack the only one not living in the United States. He worked himself up to the position of assistant service manager with Campbell Motors of Ottawa, naturally a Ford dealer. In 1940 he left this job for a navigator's seat with the R.C.A.F. Training at Malton and Jarvis he held the rank of sergeant when posted overseas to the English theatre of operations. He became attached to the Royal Air Force in 1942, being fortunate to be associated with the famous 617 Squadron, the boys who made history winging the mighty Lancasters over Germany and the European theatre. After his first tour of "ops," he got a holiday back to Canada, but returned to finally net 42 trips in the big planes, and was still going strong when Adolph decided to fold up. He was discharged in 1945 with the rank of Flight Lieutenant. Coming home to Oakville he became a supervisor of service stations for the British American Oil Company, which position he held until 1948 when he joined Harold Harris in Grimsby, becoming Vice-President, Sec.-Treasurer and Sales Manager of Harris Motors Ltd. Jack and his very charming wife, the former Dorothy Young of Stratford, along with Janice, age seven and Carol, just one year, now reside on Main Street West. In his spare time Jack plays a bit of golf, being a member of the Dundas Golf and Country Club, and he also makes a very demonstrative Sergeant-at-Arms in the Optimist Club of Grimsby of which he is a charter member.

## NEW BUILDING PURCHASED FOR THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

### PEACH CROP SHOWED A GREAT INCREASE

Was Over 20 Per Cent Larger Than In 1948 — Grapes Apparently Will Show A Decrease By 43 Per Cent.

The Ontario Fruit and Vegetable Statistics Committee in cooperation with the Fruit Division of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, have prepared the following information on the condition of fruit and vegetable crops in Ontario as at October 15th, 1949.

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Apples — With harvesting well advanced the present estimate of total commercial crop is now placed at 692,500 barrels or 40 per cent increase over 1948. This is an upward revision of about 10 per cent since the September 15th report and is due largely to superior sizing in many districts, offset to some extent by drop of fruit in some areas. Betterment since last report is reported from all districts except Middlesex-Huron-Lambton.

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Will Be Used For Offices For The Present — Total Revenue Of Society For 1948 Was \$24,918 — So Far This Year Revenue Is \$27,451.—

Purchase of a large home at 132 and 134 King St., St. Catharines by the Children's Aid Society of St. Catharines and Lincoln County constitutes another proof of the tremendous growth of this type of work in this area. The transaction which was completed last month, was announced officially at the board of directors' meeting on Wednesday afternoon last.

For the present, only the ground floor will be used for offices, but as the work expands, the entire building will be converted into offices to handle the various phases of specialized work of the society. No decision has yet been reached regarding date of possession but it is hoped that the society may take over the building at an early date. The present office at 11 1/4 James St. has been inadequate for the increased work of the Children's Aid Society for some time now.

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Apparently Local Legislators Know Little Or Nothing About The Whole Situation — Board Of Education Is Already Dissolved — A Board Will Have To Be Elected For Public School — Will Move A Street.

The November session of Town Council was exceptionally routine, and except for the council's moving of a street, which is no mean feat, the hour and a half spent by Mayor Clarence Lewis and his council was extremely peaceful, quite befitting the day on which it was held — Armistice Day.

The moving of a street was actually not as stupendous a proposition as it might sound, and actually there is no reason to suspect that many people in Grimsby could not tell you where the street in question is located. Cherry Avenue, running off of Murray Street, north of the CNR was the site selected by a Mr. Mike Ugarkovich to purchase two lots, which happen to be the two lots at the entrance to Cherry Avenue one on each side of the street which actually exists although it takes the form of a fruit orchard at the present time. Mr. Ugarkovich built a house on one side of the lots, and recently discovered that ten inches of this dwelling was right on Cherry Avenue. This meant either one of two things, moving of the house, or moving of the street.

Appearing on behalf of Mr. Ugarkovich, Mr. Michael King, of King and King, St. Catharines and Grimsby, asked council to accept that solution of town's solicitor, who forwarded two alternatives.

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## TWO MONTHS IN JAIL ON CHARGE OF THEFT

Ernest Mantais Purlined \$12 Worth Of Paint Brushes And Was Peddling Them On Main Street.

Ernest Mantais, of no fixed address, was sentenced last Wednesday to "two months in jail down on Niagara Street," in the county jail. Mantais was charged by Chief William James, with stealing paint brushes from Grimsby Fuel and Supply.

Unbeknown to Mr. McPherson, owner of the store, Mantais picked up the five brushes, valued at approximately twelve dollars, the accused was picked up by Chief James as he was selling the brushes to a passer-by on Main Street. He had sold two brushes for a fraction of their value, one to a local man, who not only lost his money but also the brush. Chief James said that Mantais was drunk when arrested.

Unhappily and nervous, the accused man asked for the sentence to jail claiming it was "the only solution" to his problem of excessive drinking.

Claiming to be a sign painter by trade, Mantais told the magistrate a woeful story of being bitten by a dog, then having his fingers

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## PROJECT OUTLINED FOR OPTIMIST CLUB

"Bill" Smythe, International Vice-President Tells How A "Boy's Town" Is Created And Operated.

Members of the Optimist Club of Grimsby received a pointed and most beneficial lesson in Optimism on Monday night, when Bill Smythe, Past District Governor, and International Vice-President, was the principal speaker at the Optimists semi-monthly meeting.

In the absence of Gordon McCalfe, Art Arkell was the chairman for the meeting, which was taken up for the most part on a thorough discussion of just what the Optimist club in Grimsby should undertake to further the ideals of this most worthy of all service clubs, as far as boys work is concerned.

Mr. Smythe noted that the club had taken a step in the right direction with the formation of a Junior Optimist Club, but urged the members not to let matters rest there. He suggested the forming of a "base of operations" along the line of a Boy's Town, such as exists in Welland, Brantford and

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## Newfoundland's "Christmas Seal"



This is the good ship CHRISTMAS SEAL, bought by the Newfoundland Tuberculosis Association with Christmas Seal funds. Staffed and equipped to give chest X-rays, it visits the outposts stretched along the rugged coast. It flies a flag with the double-barred cross on it, the world-wide emblem of the fight against tuberculosis. The same red, double-barred cross is painted several places on the ship. When it arrives at a fishing village the whole community turns out to get chest X-rays, for the people of the tenth province consider tuberculosis their greatest health problem. Tuberculosis prevention covers such a wide field that the variety of ways in which Christmas Seal funds are spent is great, but it is believed that Newfoundland is the first place in the world where the funds went to sea to fight tuberculosis.



# Facts • And • Fancies

FRANK FAIRBORN, JR.

True independence is never afraid of appearing dependent, and true dependence leads always to the most perfect independence.

## IS BEAMSVILLE WILLING TO PAY?

I observe from the Beamsville Express that the "Directors of Legislation" of that thriving village have had a conference with officials of the Bell Telephone Co., which caused me to do a little wondering and some deep thinking, if such a thing is possible.

The report of this conference, as it appeared in The Express, is as follows:—

Dissatisfaction with the service provided in Beamsville by the Bell Telephone Company was brought out Monday night when Beamsville Council worded a resolution asking that a dial system be installed here as soon as possible.

The resolution read as follows: "That the Bell Telephone Company of Canada be asked to improve the telephone service through the installation of a dial system, located in Beamsville. That the Bell Telephone Company of Canada be asked to complete the commitment regarding this installation made in 1941 by their representative, Mr. Duncan. That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Company's district office in Hamilton, the Company's regional office in Toronto, and the Head office in Montreal."

Reeve Frank Laundry told C. O. Colbert, District Manager from Hamilton, H. C. Smith, District Traffic Superintendent, and H. T. Stewart, local manager, that the lack of good telephone service was actually hampering the growth of this municipality. Promises had been made of more modern equipment in 1941, the Reeve said, but so far nothing had ever been done. The local system, that of the hand crank, was a joke to people moving into this district, the Reeve stated.

Mr. Colbert told of the unprecedented demand for telephone service in Canada, and gave that as the main reason why dial equipment was not available. Pressed for a statement of a company policy for this area, he could give no answer except that the com-

pany was endeavouring to give the best service possible. Mr. Smith said it was likely another position would be added to the local exchange next year, but it would be of the same type now in use.

None of the company's representatives could venture a guess as to when a modern system would be installed in Beamsville.

What makes me wonder and think is this—what is the attitude of the "legislators," and also the residents, on the application of the Bell Telephone Co., for a raise in rates.

The Village Council, and, no doubt, the citizens, are demanding better service.

Are they willing to pay for it? No company, or individual, can operate a business of any kind at a loss. No company or individual can expand a business and give the service that the public demand without getting revenue from SOMEWHERE.

The day of "Manna from Heaven" is over for both corporations and individuals.

The history of the Bell Telephone Company shows that the demand for telephone service since the war has been greater than that witnessed by any other public utility since the beginning of man. Therefore it is only natural that the company must have funds to provide the facilities to give this service.

Any firm or individual in business today knows what construction costs and labor costs are. The Bell Co. is no different to any other firm or individual.

There is no doubt that Beamsville needs, and wants, better service. So does every other municipality in the Dominion of Canada, but they can only get it as the company is able to provide it and able to finance it.

Therefore I wonder just what the attitude of my neighbours is on the "rate raise" application.

## A PROJECT WORTH SUPPORTING

No part of the world's surface is safer for childhood than the radius of a couple of hundred miles or so from an old, red brick, tangled sort of building with some stained glass windows in front, in down town Toronto. It is an institution known to the nursing profession as "the Sick Kids."

The Hospital for Sick Children is not merely world-famous for its research work in children's diseases: it has reached its glorious tentacles to all parts of the earth in the physical presence—in China, Africa, all over Europe and Asia—of doctors and nurses trained right within its crowded old wards. They come—and they have come for years past—from all over the world to train in the techniques and skills developed right there in the heart of that two hundred mile circle of Ontario which, for childhood, is possibly the safest zone in the whole of creation.

Since the hospital's training school for nurses was organized in 1886—eleven years after the hospital was founded—1,258 nurses have been graduated from "the Sick Kids" (that is strictly nurses' language). Twelve hundred women have been graduated and fed back into the population of Canada with all the knowledge and skills of the famous hospital. Some of them married and have families of their own. But every one of them has been a mighty factor in the spread of child health in this country. Yet 1,258 nurses graduated in 63 years seemed to me, when I got the figures, to be not so many as I expected. When you consider that 75 per cent of all doctors specializing in children's disease in Canada were trained in the Hospital for Sick Children,

the number of nurses graduated might be expected to be greater. But at this moment, the nursing staff of the hospital, with its 320 beds (the new Hospital will have 632 beds!) consists as follows: 96 fulltime graduate nurses; 17 part time graduates; 109 nurses in training; and 110 affiliate nurses in training.

Do you see that little word affiliate? From fifteen affiliated hospitals and nurses' training schools in Ontario, from Lindsay, Barrie, Stratford, fifteen cities and towns all over the province, 110 nurses are taking their training in children's diseases and surgery, as against the 109 in training as prospective graduates of "the Sick Kids." In addition, the nursing staff includes post-graduate students of nursing from Europe, Asia and South America. Ladies and gentlemen, it is not a Toronto hospital; it is not an Ontario hospital; it is a world hospital. Not your children, not our children, but just children are its eternal vigilant care.

When the new hospital is opened (and paid for! Come all ye!) its bed capacity will be doubled; its training capacity will be more than doubled; its product of young physicians and surgeons dedicated to childhood will be many times increased; its research labs, its travelling clinics—everything will be expanded. This little 200-mile zone around Toronto, already the safest for childhood in all the world, will be that much safer still. But the zone will expand, too, and the quality of mercy that has been emanating from that old, red brick building on College street will warm farther and wider, wider and farther.

## SOCIALISM COMES HIGH

It may be too much to hope that the Socialist doctrinaires will ever be willing or able to comprehend facts. But there are a few about the results of their nationalization schemes in England that should make them think.

The nationalized coal industry both in 1947 and 1948 failed to reach the modest targets set for it.

After two years in which the workers worked in "their own" pits, output per man was 30 tons less than in 1939 despite important advances in mechanization.

In 1948 absenteeism was 11.6 per cent. In 1939 it was 6.9 per cent.

Despite the frantic recruiting program the 1948 target was missed by 24,000 men and during the past half of 1949 the total number employed in the industry fell by 4 thousand.

In the first years of nationalization the railways lost over 15 million pounds.

In three years, civil aviation lost 30 million pounds.

In the first year of nationalization, cable and wireless profits were £1.7 million. But in the immediately preceding year under private operation, profits had been 3.5 million pounds.

Since electricity was nationalized in 1948

the price has risen in many areas 15 to 20 per cent and for some there is an additional substantial surcharge.

There's part of the British record. Yet the determination to push the iron and steel bill seems as firm as ever, and the Socialists cling to their gospel that government must run everything.

Surely somewhere in the Socialist army of Britain and Canada is a mind which can comprehend the folly of their course. Have they no men of sense and courage?

## LET'S MAKE THEM ALL HOLIDAYS

Over 50 workers of the Galat Peking Co. of Akron, Ohio, came back from a strike to a new contract entitling them to five, in addition to seven other paid holidays annually, a paid day off on their birthday anniversaries.

What puzzles us is why they stayed at birthday holidays. Had they run a of ideas? What about paid holidays on viding anniversaries, on World Series day, the day to pay income tax, on the day forashing the dog.

In fact, why don't they stop dling around with the problem and call ofwork entirely so they can devote themselveswholeheartedly to leisure.

## FOR THE DEFENCE

There is only one way to drive a motor car or cross a street afoot. You've got to be defensive. Let the wild asses bray and knock their heads against trees. The wise man sneaks along the road, whether in a car or afoot. He watches his chances. His not to offer violence or shout defiance; survival is his aim and the defence his method.

He has no ambition to be listed among the week-enders done-in; or even to pass with a two-column head for some celebrated single instance during the mid-week lull in killings. He seeks only to get there and get home again. He has no pride and cannot afford rage. He drives his car out from the right shoulder only far enough to have a small bargaining space. All he asks of life is that it continue. Victory over other drivers is too small a prize to lure him from the defence. He seeks only the one great triumph of the road, to avoid an accident. But he has to eat a lot of crow to keep out of trouble.

## THE BUTTER STORY — PART II

Only a few weeks ago Mr. Gardiner was boasting in the House of Commons of the way butter was selling. The federal Agriculture minister painted a rosy picture of eager buyers snapping up available supplies at the fixed government price. But makers of margarine, he suggested, were having a tough time and they had been forced to cut prices several times to keep their product moving.

Now we hear a different story from Ottawa.

Instead of the eager housewife snapping up the butter, we find that the major buyer has been the Department of Agriculture with the necessary money, of course, put up by the taxpayer. Exact details of the amount are still not revealed, but an estimate of 60 million pounds has not been denied. The Government announces that this butter is for sale at approximately 60 cents per pound, but again is rather vague about actual buyers.

As the Financial Post suggested, when Mr. Gardiner made his first statement a few weeks ago, he revealed only part of the story.

—The Financial Post.

## TAG DAY FOR CBC

The more you examine into this business of subsidies, the more complicated it gets. The CBC is subsidized by those citizens who buy radio licenses every year. But since it costs half a million dollars annually to collect license fees, and since the CBC can't afford that much, the government foots the collecting bill, thus subsidizing a subsidy.

And that isn't all. One out of every three set-owners fails to buy a license, so the other two are subsidizing him. To set up more effective collecting machinery and gather everyone into the net would increase collection costs enormously; that is, the government subsidy of the CBC would have to be increased, which means that the tax subsidy paid to the government by all taxpayers would go up accordingly.

The way we see it, the only way out of the whole inscrutable mess is to abolish license fees and let the CBC hold a tag day every year. People don't usually inquire too closely into what causes tag days are in aid of; they just buy tags and go around for the most part feeling mildly philanthropic and complacent. Which is more than anybody ever felt after buying a radio license.

## HAPPY HOGS — SAD TAXPAYERS

There will be some happy hogs in the United States this year. In addition to their regular rations of corn and slops they are going to be fed grapes and raisins, possibly some grape juice and wine. It's all part of the great farm stabilization scheme, whereby swollen wartime production and prices are maintained regardless of demand and the taxpayer.

For the past three years the grape industry has been heading into trouble. Production has been running ahead of demand and great surpluses of fresh fruit, raisins and wine have been accumulating. Uncle Sam has been urging growers to be sensible and reduce production. But the abnormally high floor prices the Government guaranteed has proved a much stronger attraction and growers have kept right on planting more grapes. After all why should they worry about markets, so long as the taxpayer foots all the bills, comments the Financial Post.

This year's big crop, however, strained things pretty badly. Even when an expanded ECA had been added to normal domestic demand there were going to be many thousand tons of tons left over. Of course nobody even suggested the old-fashioned remedy of reducing prices to gain more customers. Instead they called on the hogs.

Grapes and grape products are going to be fed to porkers. For every ton the grower disposes of in this or any other "non-competitive way," he will receive \$80 from the U.S. Government which is just another name for the U.S. taxpayer. The pig, being notoriously catholic in his taste, will probably appreciate the scheme, the taxpayer may not.

In this floor-priced stabilized farming, thank goodness we have been a little more cautious in Canada. But we are not entirely immune. While customers turn to cheaper margarine or do without, government-bought butter is piling up rapidly in cold storage. Before the winter sets in, the same thing may well happen with apples and potatoes. Even if the taxpayers do not object he may find that butter, apples and potatoes make mighty poor hog feed.

With half that pains sure he might cure 'em quite.

Take this remark from Richard, poor and lame,



Had a sick stomach the other night. Green onions and fresh pineapple. Man never does get wise.

I'm all in love with that beautiful coat of yellow paint that has been plastered on the front of the new receiving office of the City Laundry. I always did admire blondes and redheads but I never was too strong for yellow.

Is Ma happy? I'll say she is. She is now eating potatoes and apples right from Glen Huron. Thanks to Jimmy O'Brien, and his Good Wife, the Livingston Larder is stocked for the winter with fine Notawasaaga products.

Had the pleasure last week of eating a goose, a small one, right from James Bay. It was not the Canada Goose type, but the smaller variety. After Mother prepared it and cooked it according to instructions, it was positively lovely. Thanks 50 millions. Col. W. W. Johnson.

I see where "Limey Lymburner" has sold out The Bowaway to the Coca-Cola people. If you think I'm wrong just take a look at those two big plate glass windows. I figure that cost the "Coke" people plenty. Anything to beat Mr. Abbot. It was a smart advertising man that got this idea. But then, all newspaper and advertising men are smart?

There isn't going to be any winter, this winter, in the Great Grimsby Fruit Belt. Ma Ses, "The Autumn" I came here (October 1885) it was just such a Fall as this. We had no snow until New Year's Day, and very little after that. The crops the following Spring were the best they had been for years. There you are husbands, forget about those fur coats that the Little Ladies are asking for, for Christmas.

If you want to live in PEACE in The Fruit Belt, then be a Peach King Booster. The Kid from Notawasaaga and his players will carry the Peach King Banner high and far in this coming campaign. Don't be worrying. Just lay your dollar on the line and the Peach Kings will do the rest. Besides that, you have a chance to win a \$50 Bond. Get buying.

Want to see a nice piece of workmanship? Then step into Bert Flett's store. I don't mean to look at "Eck" either. Take a good look at those four display stands and show cases that have just been installed. They are really a work of the craftsman's art. They were built under Bert's orders by Shafer Bros., under the guiding hand of that Master Craftsman, "Little Dickie" Shafer. Just drop in and see what Grimsby can produce and once you see, possibly you will not be so anxious to be running away to the cities to buy things.

I got some real information the other day. A gentleman who represents one of Canada's largest Advertising Agencies, and who handles all the brewery advertising in Ontario for his Agency, dropped into the office. He tells me that hotel conditions and beverage room conditions in Grimsby are 100 per cent. He also went further and stated that with the opening of the Brewer's Retail Store, that what little condition that there was to be improved, had been improved. I informed the gentleman that I didn't even know where the retail outlet was. All I do is just pick up the telephone and Bill's Delivery does the rest.

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And where the ills they worried o'er?  
Forgotten all for evermore,  
Gone all the sorrow and the woe,  
That lived a hundred years ago.

The grief that makes you scream today,  
Like other griefs will pass away,  
And when you've cashed your little string  
And jay birds o'er your bosom sing.

The stranger passing there to view  
The marble works that cover you  
Will think upon thing upon the uselessness  
Of human worry and distress.

So let the worry business slide,  
Live while you live, and when you've died  
The folks will say around you're bier:  
"He made a hit while he was here!"

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Loretta Young and Robert Cummings in one of the best to come out of Hollywood this year. Fine direction and two top actors make this a "must" for your theatre entertainment. Short subjects fill out the bill.

## CONTINUATIONS From Page One

### TOWN COUNCIL UP

The first was to make an agreement between the town and the owner of the property, whereby a rental of one dollar a year be paid until such time as the house was demolished or destroyed by fire. The second alternative was to move the street, which would give Ugarkovich a clear title for all time. This step involved considerable legislation, and was estimated to cost Ugarkovich between \$150 and \$200.

In view of the fact that Ugarkovich owned lots on both sides of the street, it was possible for council to pass a motion, calling for the moving of the street over a distance of three feet, thus giving the lot with the house ample clearance, while the other lot would lose three feet to the street, which perhaps in time may become built up.

Deputy Reeve A. A. Constable objected on the grounds that it would be creating a precedent by allowing property owners to go ahead without a proper survey before erecting a building.

Mayor Lewis was in favor of changing the mouth of the street, and was under the impression that eventually Cherry Avenue might become something more than an orchard.

Councillor Doug Scott took quite a different stand, and heatedly stated: "When we start moving streets to settling precedents for one house, that is something somebody can do a lot with. If the town requires road then the house will have to be moved."

You're putting a penalty on the present owner, and future owners," interrupted Councillor Braid.

"Ten inches isn't much of a mistake to make," someone interjected.

"Well, let's have a motion," stated Mayor Lewis.

At this point Mr. Ugarkovich jumped to his feet, despite the restraining hands of his attorney, and speaking in very broken English attempted to clarify Council on the set up. His efforts were quite unsuccessful.

Mr. King told the Council that his client was quite prepared to pay the necessary money to have the street moved, thus giving him a clear title to his lot, and without much more consideration, council passed a motion penned by Scott and Braid, the two men who had taken sides on the moving of a street "for fear of creating a precedent," the motion calling for the street to be moved a distance of three feet from its present location.

When mention was made by clerk Bourne, of a proposed meeting to be held in Beamsville, at which the West Lincoln High School Area was to be soundly reviewed, several councillors jumped quickly on the situation, and it is quite evident that considerable debate will be forthcoming at the meeting scheduled for November 23rd.

A. C. Price explained to council, that the present Board of Education in Grimsby had already been disbanded, and with the area due to go into effect in January, very little had been done to find out just what the whole thing is all about, and how it is to be operated.

Councillor Braid expressed a strong resentment for the whole idea of a high school area for Grimsby.

"We have ten members on the Board of Education, and it keeps them hopping to do all the work. How can two or three men do the work on the new board which will be set up? On top of this, there will have to be a Board of Education set up for the public school."

"This council is definitely responsible for appointing two members to the new board, and there will have to be an election to procure a public school board."

"We won't have anything to say about anything at this meeting, anyway," said Councillor Braid. This remark followed Price's statement that Inspector Randall would be on hand at the Beamsville meeting to answer all questions and outline the workings of the high school area.

"I think Grimsby is going to be one of those 'hind' things," commented Councillor Scott.

Braid for once agreed with Councillor Scott.

"I've still got to see a high school area with the same mill rate or a lower one," commented Councillor Braid.

"In my opinion," stated Councillor Scott, "North Grimsby Township Council stamped this Council into the whole thing."

Mayor Lewis recommended strongly that the entire council be on hand at the Beamsville meeting, and it appeared that all were sufficiently interested to take the words of the Mayor to heart, and form a strong delegation at this meeting.

Retroactive to January 1st, 1949, the Mayor of the Town of Grimsby will receive an annual salary of \$200, while each councillor receives a pay boost of one dollar. Under this new ruling, each council member will receive \$5.00 for every regular or special meeting they attend.

Motions were passed, permitting

the paying of general accounts amounting to \$1,755.33, relief totalling \$16.88 and a fire account totalling \$481.

Building permits were granted to the Robert Simpson Co., for the erection of a sig. value of \$50. A permit was granted Mr. Naylon, for the erection of a building to be used as an amory. Value listed as \$15,000, and measuring 46 x 100 feet. A permit was also granted to Whyte and Jarvi for the erection of a warehouse, one-story high and of cement block construction, the building to be erected at the rear of Carroll's Ltd.

### WATER BIG QUESTION

Also from the correspondence file, was a notification of a plan to have the shoreline of Lake Ontario, where erosion has become a gigantic problem, examined by officials of the Ontario Shore and Beach Preservation Association. Each municipality with property bordering on the lake, will have a representative talk over their own problem with the touring officials, and perhaps from this, some action may be taken in the future to combat the serious ravages of lake erosion.

The Township's recent Court of Revision saw only one appeal, and this was sustained. The appeal was launched by H. L. Wood, re his property assessment in Lakeside Gardens. Otherwise the Assessment Roll for 1949 was accepted and confirmed.

Back on the water question for a half hour, the council heard Mr. T. Jefferies, who appeared before council attempting to obtain an adjustment on the water rate charged him. He refused an adjustment, after Reeve Aiken, and Councillor McEwen had outlined the situation, stating that although he was charged thirty cents, township council actually paid the town forty, and therefore council could hardly make an adjustment on his water rate.

At one time during the discussion, McEwen reiterated the now famous stock line of the township, whereby the township paid for four million gallons of water which allegedly was never received. For this amazing bit of business, the master meter was blamed. This, state township officials has since been corrected and will not happen again.

A bylaw, No. 604 was passed, appointing as permanent officials

of the Township, J. Gordon Metcalfe as clerk and treasurer, Peter Robertson as assessor, and J. H. Gillespie as tax collector.

Bylaw No. 603, a bylaw to appoint Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks, and to fix place and time for holding nominations for the office of Reeve, councillors and school trustees for School Area No. 1 was passed. Nominations will be held from 12 noon to one o'clock, Monday, December 26. Election day (if there is one) will fall on the second day of January, 1950, from eight a.m. to five p.m.

The following is a complete list of deputy returning officers, and poll clerks for the various school areas as outlined by council.

Booth 1 (A) School House S.S. 1.  
D. R. O. Cecil Bell.  
Poll Clerk Bert Bengough.  
Booth B  
D. R. O. George Mould.  
Poll Clerk Bert Greenwood.  
No. 3 School House S. S. No. 4  
D. R. O. John Bowslaugh.

Walter Gibson, School House 3.  
D. R. O. Glen Reinke.  
Poll Clerk Harold Lake.  
No. 4. School House No. 6.  
D. R. O. William Fairbrother.  
Poll Clerk Hugh Lounsbury.  
St. Mary's Hall  
D. R. O. Don Beamer.  
Poll Clerk Steve Andreychuk.  
Reeve John Aikens told council that the frame steel building being built for the storing of township road and other equipment is now nearing completion. Built at an approximate cost of \$2400, the building is situated in Beamer Falls Park.

A motion was passed calling for council as a whole to attend the School Area meeting at Beamsville on November 23, at which Inspector S. D. Randall of the Department of Education is expected to help outline the inner workings of the West Lincoln high school area which goes into effect on the first of January.

### DENSITIES OF STARS

Extremes in densities of stars are represented by those of Zeta Aurigae and Wolf 457. The first consists of a substance so thin that it is only about one twelve-hundredth as dense as the air we breathe, while the second consists of a substance so dense that a cubic inch of it on the surface of the earth would weigh about 900 tons.

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California  
VALENCIA ORANGES Size 344 Doz. 29c  
California  
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## Social Events — Personals — Organizations — Club Activities

The November meeting of the Trinity Bible Class was held at the home of Miss Elizabeth Cope-land, 14 Elizabeth St., last Friday evening, and took the form of a quilting bee. The quilts are being sent with gifts of clothing

to the needy people of Europe. Refreshments were served at the close of the very pleasant get-together.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Paynter of Ottawa were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gardham at "Tall Trees Farm."

### GOSPEL HALL

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#### LORD'S DAY

Breaking of Bread - 11 a.m.  
Gospel Meeting - 7 p.m.  
Children's Meeting - 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday  
Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading, 8 p.m.

— All Welcome —

### St. John's Church Presbyterian

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Minister

SUNDAY, NOV. 20th

10 a.m.—Sunday School.  
The Life of Joshua.  
11 a.m.—Programme Plus  
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7 p.m.—Life's Lessons.

### St. Andrew's Church (Diocese of Niagara)

Rector: Rev'd E. A. Brooks,  
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SUNDAY, NOV. 20th

Sunday Next Before Advent

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion  
and Sermon.  
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School.  
4:00 p.m.—Evensong and Ser-  
mon.

Preacher for the day—the  
Rector.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, NOV. 20th

10 a.m.—Church School.

11 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
Preacher — Mr. Harold Kemp  
of McMaster University.

7 p.m.—Evening Service.

### Trinity United Church

SUNDAY, NOV. 20th

Preacher: REV. R. K. LEMKAY, B.A.,  
of Binkley United Church, Hamilton

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Junior Congregation.  
Sermon Topic: "LOVE."  
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School.  
2:30 p.m.—Trinity Youth Fellowship.  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.  
Sermon Topic: "PEACE."  
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### FARM FORUM NEWS

There was a good attendance at the Woolverton Road Farm Forum held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Merritt.

Secretaries for the evening were Ferris Weylie and Lewis Hawkey. The two groups were unanimous in their decision that farm folk and town folk should hold joint recreational nights which would lead to much better understanding between them.

Our forum also feels that clocks should be left on the same time all year round and thus save all the confusion we have at present. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Weylie.

### BEAMSVILLE I.O.D.E.

At the November meeting of the Lena Davis Chapter, I.O.D.E., it was unanimously decided to undertake a drive for Used Clothing during this month. Although the rationing of clothes has been discontinued in Great Britain, the distributing organizations there inform us that the need for good clothing in Britain is as great as ever, because of the lack of means to purchase, and in Europe, because of continuing distress. The Provincial I.O.D.E. has decided, therefore, to divide its gifts of clothing and bedding, equally, between Great Britain and Europe for the coming season.

We are asking members, and friends, to contribute at least one article of clothing during the month of November. The clothing MUST BE CLEAN, WARM and MENDED, in suitable condition to last several months. Contributions may be left at E. O. Konkle's Shoe Store, Beamsville, the Red and White Store, Vineland Station, or at Dr. C. C. Ramag's home, Vineland.

The meeting was in charge of Mrs. V. Crest, a past-Regent, in the absence of Mrs. C. J. Freeman. Various reports were heard, including the Post-War Service, which showed a shipment of used clothing, value \$50.00, to Polish relief.

A letter of appreciation was read from Mrs. Freeman, the Regent, thanking the members for the sincere sympathy extended to her in the passing of her brother, Mr. Geo. A. Beatty, Kenora.

Mrs. C. Wray reported that the books for presentation at the B.H.S. Commencement had been purchased.

Mrs. C. Tufford, Ex-service Personnel convener, reported that the wreath for the Cenotaph, also the Flags and Crosses for the Soldiers' graves in Mount Osborne Cemetery, had been arranged for.

Arrangements for the annual Sacred Concert were to be left with the councillors.

Meeting adjourned.

### COMING EVENTS

St. Joseph's Altar Society are holding a Rummage Sale with White Elephant Display on Saturday, November 19th in the Masonic Hall.

### CHRISTMAS SEALS

The local committee in charge of Christmas seals are now busy engaged in preparing the mailing list.

These seals will be sent out Monday next, Nov. 21st. If anyone is overlooked kindly phone 606W and you will receive immediate attention.

### WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

"Canning Ontario's fruits and vegetables" is the title of a new publication of the Women's Institute and Home Economics Service, Ontario Department of Agriculture. Copies can be obtained from the local Agricultural Representative or by writing to the Women's Institute Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.

Attractively prepared and neatly bound in paper covers, the book carries an index showing where various phases of canning can be found. It deals with a wide variety of subjects, including "Canning methods," "Quantities for canning," "Steps in canning," "Time table for fruits," "Time table for vegetables," "Jellies," "Jams," "Marmalades, conserve," and "Pickles."

The opening chapter deals with reasons for food spoiling and why canning makes food keep. Then there are others dealing with the use of the pressure cooker, preparation of syrup for fruits and a host of other important details included in proper canning.

### GRASSIE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duck and Betty of Moss Road, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Duck.

Mrs. Annie Johnson, Hamilton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Basil Jacobs over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Robertson were Sunday supper guests of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Flecker are leaving this week to spend the winter months with their daughter Dr. and Mrs. Burro of Long Island N. Y.

The Ladies Aid held their meeting last week at the home of Mrs. Wm. Hilberg. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Spencer Merritt, Grimsby.

The Chatter Box held their meeting at the home of Mrs. L. Thomas, Monday evening.

Connie Jacobs has been visiting his Aunt and Uncle, Mr. and Mrs. House of St. Catharines for a few days. They accompanied Connie home to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jacobs. Mr. and Mrs. House and son-in-law, Wilfred Reece are the Radio Artists who play old time music on Stations CKTE, St. Catharines and CHVC in Niagara Falls.

### COMING EVENT

The Beaver Club of St. John's Church are having a sale of home-baked at the Gas Office on Saturday morning, Nov. 19th, from 9 to 12 o'clock.

## HISTORICAL SOCIETY PRESENTS OLD TIME COSTUME PARADE

The members of the recently organized Historical Society of Grimsby will in all likelihood devote themselves to the recalling and the interpreting of events which belong to our own neighbourhood. But sometimes they will turn aside to other matters of interest which come down to us from an earlier time. Accordingly on Wednesday evening last, in the Assembly Hall of the High School, the attention of an audience which nearly filled the hall was drawn to the subject of garments worn during a period, which though not very distant, may already be spoken of as historical.

The sponsor of this interesting revival of the past was Mrs. Robert McIntyre, of Winona, who gave what may be called an illustrated address, the illustrations being neither moving nor stationary pictures, but living people. Mrs. McIntyre has in her possession a large number of articles of clothing, costumes and dresses, some at least of which were worn by members of the family to which she belongs, most of these having in their time adorned the female sex, but a few of them, however, giving a hint of the elegance with which gentlemen of a former day made their appearance at social and professional functions.

In an opening address, Mrs. McIntyre sketched the history of the various types of raiment which she was about to exhibit, tracing their survival from the time in which they were new, also their long neglect, and the finding of them in an old trunk which had lain a long time unopened in an attic. But once discovered, these costumes proved not only to be of splendid appearance and good quality, but also to me, most instructive for those of the present day who are acquainted only with the manners and fashions of our own time. Mrs. McIntyre also spoke of the wisdom of preserving some, if not all, of the material possessions amid which our lives are set, so that in later days we shall not be altogether forgotten.

After this introduction, there came forward on a kind of gangway platform, one at a time, the twenty or more living models for the inspection of the audience. First came Miss Kitty Gillespie, a girl as if for Church on a hot Sunday in the year of 1890, with skirt of linen, and waist of a soft corded satin, a hat of white linen, with embroidered work on the crown. She was followed by Mrs. Johnson, of the High School staff, in a skirt, also of linen, with trimming of heavy, dark brown braid, and seventeen buttons down the front. And with the addition of a brown velvet hat adorned with ostrich feathers, this smart lady of the nineties was ready for an autumn walk in the country. Next came Miss Alice Trant garbed in heavy cotton twill, her dress being the only one which had a flounce around the front and reaching to the bustle at the back. And after these three ladies came Miss Barbara Cole, Mrs. L. A. Bromley, Miss Cairine Shantz, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Jessie Biggar, Miss Edythe Gillespie, Miss Nora Carpenter, the gifted lecturer giving an exact and picturesque description of each costume as her models came forward. She pointed out the fills, the berthas, the scallops, the bustles, the beads and medallions, the Leg of Mutton sleeves, the Basque waists, the epaulettes, the vertical tucks, the patch pockets, a muff of clipped seal, a Paisley wrap, cape of flecked woolen material and Black satin, many-sided amber buttons, a coat lined with approximately 186 Russian squirrel skins, a polonaise with fancy over-skirt, Dolmans with thick feather trimming, and many other features of these varied and beautiful articles of nineteenth century apparel. Nor should we omit the grace with which these ladies of Grimsby and Winona assisted their sponsor as they instinctively assumed the proper pose while their garments were being displayed.

Two gentlemen had a humble part in this fine pageantry of dress. Robert Bourne appeared in rock coat and silk hat which belonged to the period of Canadian Confederation, while Neil M. Leckie became a Sheriff of the County of Roxburgh in Scotland, a position held by the grandfather of Mrs. McIntyre, and at an earlier date by Sir Walter Scott. The elegant costume worn as such was of black velvet, with knee breeches and silk stockings, shining buckles and buttons, with lace at the neck and wrists, and hat said to be of the style worn by the Duke of Wellington.

At intervals in the program of this pleasant evening, were solos sung by Miss Joyce Maycock of Winona, Miss Greening, of the High School staff, and Mrs. R. W. Mitchell, Mr. Mitchell presiding at the piano throughout the evening. An address was given by L. Pettit, the President of the So-

The Late Christopher Bean is certain to hold the rapt attention of the audience, and the all-local cast appears to have been chosen perfectly for the various parts. The cast is made up of the following: Owen Patterson, Shirley Heathcote, Joy and Ed Mack, George Winkler, Gil Ryerson, Len Bromley, Audrey Bowers and Maisie Cullingford.

You can't afford to miss the season's opener of the Grimsby Players' Guild, it is first class entertainment and capably portrayed by people who might be your next door neighbor.

Tickets are available for both nights' performance at Millyard's and Dymond's, and are also on sale at the door. The curtain goes up on the first act at 8:30 p.m.

### COMING EVENTS

Alexina Rebekah Lodge, Grimsby will hold a Bridge and Euchre Card Party in the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening, Nov. 22nd, at 8:45 p.m. Door prize and refreshments, admission 35 cents.

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### SOCIAL NEWS

Mrs. Ralph Cocks was hostess at a Tea given by the Neighbourly Circle of the Fifty United Church, on Wednesday afternoon at 4 p.m., November 12th, when Louise Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William I. Smith of Jordan Station was united in marriage to Mr. Gordon Cecil Maycock, son of Mrs. Maycock of Winona and the late W. G. Maycock. Officiating at the ceremony was Rev. Norman Kelly. Mr. A. C. Hannan was at the organ, while the soloist was Mrs. Harry Watts.

Given in marriage by her father, the lovely bride wore a gown of blue pink, iridescent slipper satin, with fitted bodice, standing up collar, and full length pointed sleeves. A Dutch cap of chantilly lace over satin held her finger-tip veil of imported lace, the gift of her grandmother. She carried a cascade of white chrysanthemums and ivy.

Maid-of-honour was Miss Marie Stevens, of Vineland, the cousin of the bride, while her two attendants were Miss Joyce Maycock of Winona, and Miss Josephine Blake of Kingston. All were dressed in vintage wine velvet, similarly styled to the bride's gown. Their headresses were matching muffs of white and orchid pom-poms. Flower girls were Miss Patricia Holmes, and Miss Beverly Blain, both cousins of the bride, wearing blue tulle taffeta frocks with matching pleated halo head-dresses, and carried small muffs of pink and white pom-poms.

Groomsmen were Mr. George Allison of Toronto, while ushers were Mr. William D. Smith, and Mr. Ronald Beech of Detroit.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Village Inn, Grimsby, with the bride's mother receiving, wearing a dark brown dress with insets of satin, a small hat of cerise, and a corsage of cerise carnations and white mums. The mother of the groom was wearing hunter green, with a matching hat. Her corsage was of bronze and yellow chrysanthemums.

The couple left for a honeymoon in Montreal, the bride going away in a gray wool dress trimmed with black velvet, black accessories, a small black feathered hat, and a corsage of gardenias in her fur coat. On their return from the honeymoon they will live in Port Credit.

### SALTFLEET TOWNSHIP COUNCIL MEETING

Growing concern over lakeshore erosion in the township was expressed by the Saltfleet Township Council at their regular monthly session last week. Deputy Reeve J. P. Bridgman was appointed by the Council to represent them before a committee of the Ontario Legislature which inspected the erosion on November 11th.

A grant of \$35.00 was made to the Winona Branch of the Canadian Legion for their 1949 Poppy Fund, an increase of 10.00 over last year's grant. A grant of \$75.00 was extended to the Victorian Order of Nurses, and their work in the township was highly commended by the council.

Clyde Manary of Winona requested Council to grade the township road extending east from McNelly's Side Road for a short distance. Council was willing to co-operate but when informed by Road Superintendent Harry Depeu that little is left of the money appropriated for his department in 1949, the decision of the council was that under these circumstances unless ways are found to raise money, work on this may have to be waived until after the New Year.

Sheldon Hyland, township building inspector made final arrangements for the ceding to the township of a new road survey, to be known as Corman Avenue.

Mr. Harry Wilson asked council to grant him permission to construct a trailer camp on the southeast corner of the intersection of No. 20 Hwy., and Barton Street. He was reminded that any such establishment must comply with the by-law regulating such trailer camps, and that the council's only objection to prolonged residence in such a camp is the added school and health costs which follow. Mr. Wilson replied that he "was willing to agree to any charge or license fees which the council might decide to assess to meet these costs." He was, therefore, given permission to proceed with his plans, providing he conforms to the regulations.

James Millen, assessor and tax-collector reported that \$25,182.12 was collected during the month in taxes. Arrears of taxes as of October 31st, totalled \$18,168.20 as compared with \$24,846.27 at the same time last year.

Sittings of the Court of Revision were set for Nov. 14th and 15th. Taxpayers who appealed their assessments were heard at that time by the court, composed of members of the council.

Council also proposed a by-law naming polling places and officers for the municipal elections on Monday, Dec. 12th. Nominations will take place at the Parish Hall, Stoney Creek on Friday, November 25th, at 1 p.m.

### WINONA NUPTIALS

MAYCOCK — SMITH

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### SCOUTS PAPER DRIVE

The Winona Boy Scout Troop and many Cubs also were out bright and early Saturday morning, to collect on their paper drive. Apparently the populace had been saving for a long time, for it was more successful, reported Horace Cocks, and nearly two large truck-loads were collected.

### COMING EVENT

On November 20th, the Fifty United Church will hold their 130th ANNIVERSARY SERVICES. The speaker for the morning services will be Rev. W. J. Preston, B.A., B.D., First United Church, Hamilton. An evening service at 7.30 p.m. will have as speaker, Rev. John McLearn of the Stoney Creek Presbyterian Church. There will be special music by the choir.

In China the first course at dinner is the dessert.

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### COMING EVENT

The Winona W. I. will hold a shower for new and used clothing and toys for the Children's Aid on November 24th at 8 p.m. Everyone invited. Come and bring your friends.

### NEW SCHOOL WILL BE OPENED NEXT WEEK

People in the district will have an opportunity to view one of the most modern schools in Ontario on November 25th, Friday, when Mountain View School is declared officially open. Open afternoon and evening, a good program has been arranged with the speaker for the evening, C. B. Routley, Deputy Minister of Elementary Education, who will officiate in the ribbon cutting ceremony.

Reeves of Saltfleet and Stoney Creek will be present, as well as Rev. John L. Anderson, Church of England, Rev. G. E. Morrow, United Church, and Rev. James McLearn of Stoney Creek Presbyterian Church. The ceremony will begin at 8 p.m. in the Assembly Room, with John W. Pell, B.A., acting as chairman. Ample opportunity to view the school in the evening will be given, and doors will be open from 6.30 to 8 p.m. for that purpose.

### WINONA CONTRIBUTIONS TO HOSPITAL \$4100

Over 350 friends of West Lincoln Memorial Hospital, Grimsby, which opened its doors on Thursday, November 3rd, attended a dance at Club El Morocco on November 8th.

Arranged by the Winona Committee with Mrs. M. A. Cudney as convener, it was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season, and a gala time was spent by all present.

Tickets for the draw were drawn by Judge Theo. McCombs, Reeve Joseph Platt of Stoney Creek, Controller Andy Frame with Reeve Digby Banting, of Saltfleet, as M. C. Mrs. Freeman McCollum and Mrs. Eric Carpenter were in charge of the draw tickets. The floor lamp was won by C. Chapman of Winona, the table lamp by Mrs. John Pell of Fruitland, and the blanket by an unidentified gentleman who produced his winning ticket right at the time the draw was made.

Accordions selections were given by students of the Waddington Studio, Scotch songs by Jack Simpson, and old time music by the Hill Brothers.

Since the burning of the old "hospital on the hill," the Winona Committee have raised approximately \$4100, to build and equip a room for the Winona community in the new hospital.

This is a remarkable achievement, for which the Winona Committee are to be congratulated by the whole of West Lincoln.

Last year the federal government's purchases of butter abroad and buying of the domestic surplus potato crop cost Canada's taxpayers more than \$2,500,000.

### THE BETTER TO BITE YOU

Only a year old, lustrous Francis Bosse is well-equipped with teeth. He has 16, all of them very well formed. He is exhibiting four of them here as he rolls coy eyes at the camera. Francis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bosse, of Baltimore. Doctors say his dental accomplishment is very unusual.

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## CONTINUATIONS

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### NEW BUILDING

The Kinnetie Club has pledged help in providing dental treatment for a little girl, a ward of the city. Extent of the treatment expected to total \$350, according to Superintendent Jack Finlay in a monthly report to the board. He also reported that through the

co-operation of the St. Catharines Board of Education the society has been enabled to establish a clothing depot once more. A room has been set aside for this purpose in St. Paul's Ward School, and members of the Blue Hyacinth Club will operate the depot three days a week, he explained.

A case report for October tabled seven of the many cases which came to the society's attention last month. An unmarried woman living in an old trailer in a farm field gave birth to a child without a doctor in attendance, and under conditions of extreme filth. The baby was taken to the hospital by the Children's Aid Society.

In another instance, an 18-year-old wife and mother wanted to leave her husband who recently received \$14,000 as a result of an automobile accident, but has spent all but \$1,100 of it on gambling and drinking. He has not worked since he received the money and has bought and wrecked three cars. Four young children, in another case, spent the night with neighbours because of the father's drunken condition, and fear was felt for their safety. Neighbours now refuse to let the children return home and the father is extremely belligerent toward the neighbours.

Total number of cases open at the end of the month were 181, with 247 children in the care of the Society. Unmarried parent cases totalled 26. Payment of October amounts totalling \$6,873.91 was authorized and approved by the Board yesterday.

Comprehensive statements on the financial position of the Society from April to September this year, were presented to the Board by Secy-Treas. Roy V. Wininger. The balance sheet, as at then end of September, showed a surplus of \$2,061.62. An increase of \$2,532.41 in revenue for the period April 1 to September 30 this year over 1948 was shown in the general account report. Total revenue in 1948 was recorded as \$4,918.97, while for the same period this year, it totalled \$27,451.38. Expenditures for the April to September period in 1949 also show an increase over expenditures for the same period in 1948. In 1948 expenditures totalled \$27,073.60, while for the identical period in 1949, they totalled only \$25,215.42, making an increase this

year of \$1,856.15. Expenditures include cost of child care, protection work, unmarried parents' work, special services and general work. In 1948, there was a \$296.45 deficit in the general account, whereas for the same period, ending September 30, 1949, there is a surplus of \$377.78.

Public subscriptions, less campaign expenses, so far this year have totalled \$7,533.84 according to another statement submitted by Mr. Wininger. For the corresponding period last year, this figure was \$6,966.85. With grants from the city, county and province added, the 1949 subscriptions and grants total is \$14,033.84, as compared with \$13,486.85 last year. For the first six months of this year 50 per cent of these funds, or \$7,016.92 has been apportioned to the five fields of the Society's work. Administration costs since April 1 this year totalled \$10,110.36 as compared with \$9,425.66 last year. Boarding costs of the Society's wards has increased from 62 2-5c per day to 65, 4-5c per day.

### PEACH CROP

Essex-Kent and Peel-York. Apples are generally above average size and of good to superior colour. Although some late Codling Moth damage is reported from certain districts, there has been a minimum of scab infestation. Advanced maturity is causing concern and particularly for apples for which there is no space in cold storages.

Plums — With practically no change since September 15th, total estimate is placed at 312,410 bushels, a betterment of about 9 per cent over 1948 production with Japanese varieties showing 40 per cent increase, Europeans 16 per cent increase and prunes 34 per cent decrease. Prunes and European varieties benefited greatly by later favourable moisture and weather conditions both in respect to size and quality. However, due to poor processing demand and low prices toward the end of the season, considerable tonnage was unharvested in the Niagara and

Burlington areas.

Pears—An increase of 83 per cent over 1948 production is now indicated, making total estimate 392,150 bushels (146,370 bushels Bartlett, 234,780 bushels Keiffer and 11,000 bushels other varieties). This is a betterment of about 10 per cent over last report and is due to heavy yield of well sized Keiffer which are now practically all harvested. In the main producing areas pears have been of generally good quality although some late worm injury is now reported from Niagara. Paylla is in evidence only in some localized orchards. Considerable dropping of fruit was reported in the Burlington district. Peel-York is the only district where sizing was not up to normal and where insect injury was somewhat prevalent.

Peaches—Due particularly to an excellent yield of Elberta and late varieties, total estimate now shows an improvement since last report and is placed at 1,237,955 bushels or an increase of 20 per cent over 1948 yield. Late varieties were generally of large size and excellent colour with only light Oriental

Fruit moth injury and practically no brown rot damage.

Grapes—The total tonnage estimate is 15,450 tons (11,315 tons Blues, 2,507 tons Whites, and 1,628 tons Reds) and is practically the same as reported in September. This represents a decrease of 43 per cent from the 1948 yield with the largest decrease being in the Blue varieties. Factors causing the exceptionally light crop were the generally cold weather and known frosts in early bud and bloom stage, aggravated later by the extreme drought in the growing period. Flavour of fruit was good and sugar content high. In the Niagara district there was some light Grape Berry Moth damage despite spray control measures. Vineyards look well with vine growth generally good.

### TWO MONTHS

crushed by a falling battery, and also of being on the scene at the Noronic disaster, and of helping rescue passengers from the doomed vessel.

Magistrate Hallett listened to his story and then sentenced Mantais to two months in jail on the charge of theft, and suspended sentence on the drunk charge.

Mr. McPherson has since had the brushes returned to their rightful place, thanks to the sleuthing of Chief James.

### WINONA COMMUNITY

Mrs. Cudney has been a constant worker for the new hospital recently opened, and certainly has earned the gratitude of so many people, especially in the Winona area, where the effort has been without parallel, thanks to this tireless worker.

Two pledges were redeemed last spring bringing the total to \$3755.54. This month a second hospital dance was held and the proceeds from this dance will bring the total raised by Mrs. Cudney and her associates to well over the \$4,000 mark.

In view of the fact that this amount does not include a canvass made of several manufacturers and business men in the Winona-Fruitland area, it stands as a mark of public service extremely difficult to beat.

It was of a great personal interest to Mrs. Cudney and the people of Winona in general, that the very first baby born in the new West Lincoln Memorial Hospital was born to a Winona couple. The independent joins with all the other people in offering sincere congratulations to the fine people of this area and to the superlative leadership of their number one citizen—Mrs. M. A. Cudney.

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## SPORTTRAYAL

By "HIGH" Mcgregor

What the Peach Kings need most of all at this time, is a means of rounding into condition without benefit of the customary practice. Even Mike Sweet can't find the answer to this, although Mike continued to pass along his great knowledge of the game of hockey to Pop McVicar.

Whether you want to believe it or not, the Kings play their first league game this coming Monday night at Port Colborne, and this with just a couple of workouts this fall. The outcome should prove most interesting.

Past performances of the Kings indicate they never seem to start clicking until Christmas, at which time they start and roll all over the opposition. This optimistic point of view might be shattered this year for quite apparently there are a few teams in this Big Six Senior B League this fall who might take a very dim view to being crushed by the Peaches.

Woodstock, for instance, have built up a club far superior to last year's outfit (they defeated St. Kitts 10-3 last week) and good old Eli Turonski, which we manage to spell differently every time, has also come up with a power-packed Crowland team that is going to give trouble to the rest of the teams.

Brantford is an unknown quantity to date. Reports have drifted from their public relations man, calling the team as the team to beat this winter in the Big Six. Brantford recently signed Pete Soutar and Sunny Dunham, who were released by the Peach Kings. The calibre of these players may or may not be an indication of the strength of the Bell City squad. The Peach Kings will find out on November 25, when they journey to Brantford for their second start. A week later the Kings open the hockey season here in Grimsby with Port Colborne making a return visit.

The sixty game schedule closes on February 10, four teams to enter the playoffs, which actually means that only one will miss out, as Port Colborne is planning on entering Intermediate "A" play-downs.

The Kings' coaching staff had the crew cut down considerably at last Sunday's workout, with a few new faces appearing for the first time. Several of the so-called regulars were absent.

This business of waiver ruling, is proving to be a fly in the ointment, and we suspect that the personnel of the Kings may be altered considerably sometime in December, following a certain OHA meeting.

Four prospective goalies donned the pads on Sunday, including Mert Prophet, former goalie with Boston Olympics. Prophet for his 25 years has been around, but plenty. He has tended goal for Washington and Providence of the American League, and spent last season with the Quebec Senior League.

There is actually nothing very official, and if there is, you can't seem to get the bosses to talk, but indications are that Barry Blanchard and Bunn Glass will both be back with the Kings. Wally Hamilton, a real solid defenseman, who played with People's in the Toronto League, is now a resident of our fair town, and will be on defense for the Kings. One thing certain, Kings defense is going to be stronger than last season. It is this department that Clark and McVicar are working on in earnest.

Reg Dodds, the Peach King good humour man was handing out cigars over the weekend. Reg is the very proud father of ... if you'll pardon the expression ... a bouncing baby girl. A sister for Reg, and Mrs. Dodds' two fine sons. This is as good a time as any to say that Dodds, for all his weight, is still looking very effective up on the forward line. A couple more months and he should be right back in the groove.

Norm Warner conked his gear for Sunday's workout. It was brief. The kid takes his practice very seriously.

Flooding operations commenced today at the Arena, with Geo. Marr and his staff doing everything in their power to get ice here as soon as humanly possible. This bit of news will come as good news to a lot of people besides the Peach Kings ... the youngsters have put away the

football and a lot of rusty blades will soon be christened.

Seasons Tickets are now on sale. To obtain same, call the Arena, or in Beamsville contact Harry Kennedy at 22. It's one sure way of seeing every game, and that is a most important factor here, if we are to have Senior hockey in Grimsby.

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Victory	877	655	768-1
Elberta	793	725	775-2
Veteran	850	722	777-3
Rochester	618	554	645-0
Vedette	831	950	887-3
Vallant	808	803	778-0
John Hall	797	861	851-2
Vimy	877	672	715-1

High Average—Doris Mott—216.  
High Triple—Doris MacBride—754.

High Single—June Dyball—294.  
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## MEN'S BOWLING SCORES

Rocket	1118	1122	1173-4
Monarch	1007	1111	1065-0
M. Bums	854	885	830-3
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Sheet Metal	848	999	935-3
Pittsburg	790	855	946-1
Lumber Kings	1076	814	895-2
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Peach King	891	923	1062-0
Mountaineers	1070	1076	865-2
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St. Joseph's	866	907	979-1
Blockbusters	925	1210	1066-4
Boulevard	879	1081	892-0

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Sheet Metal	20
Underates	19
Beachcombers	17
Pittsburg	15
Boulevard	15
Lumber Kings	15
M. Bums	14
Blockbusters	12
St. Joseph's	4
Icebergs	1

Rockets	26
Gas House	19
Pony Express	16
Smith's	15
Shmoos	11
Monarchs	11
Mountaineers	9
Pin Twisters	9
Charlie's Clippers	9
Peach Kings	7
High Average	241
Nick Maurice	241
High Triple	914
Ham. Fox	914
High Single	358
Bill Fisher	358

## QUEEN'S SCHEDULE

Wednesday, Nov. 23  
7:30—Elberta vs. Vedette.  
7:30—St. John vs. Victory.  
Thursday, Nov. 24  
7:30—Vallant vs. Rochester.  
7:30—John Hale vs. Gold. Drop.  
8:00—Veteran vs. South Haven.  
9:00—Crawford vs. Vimy.

## MEN'S SCHEDULE

Monday, Nov. 21  
7:30—Smith's vs. Pin Twisters.  
7:30—Rockets vs. Shmoos.  
9:00—Pittsburg vs. Beachcombers.  
9:00—Blockbusters vs. S. Metal.  
Tuesday, Nov. 22  
7:30—P. Kings vs. Mountaineers.  
7:30—Underates vs. L. Kings.  
9:00—St. Joseph's vs. M. Bums.  
9:00—Iron Dukes vs. Boulevard.  
Wednesday, Nov. 23  
9:00—Gas House vs. C. Clippers.  
9:00—P. Express vs. Monarchs.

## BAGS THREE GEESE WITH ONE SHELL



Bill Ward of Chatsworth, Ont., is a thrifty fellow when it comes to hunting. He doesn't believe in using two or three shots where one will do. The other day Bill knocked over three geese with one shot, using an Imperial long range BB shell. His bag for a two-day hunt was nine geese.

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## REAL ESTATE

Wm. Hewson has purchased the brick duplex house at 104-6 Main west from Col K. A. Ramsey.

J. Orton Livingston has purchased the west half of the duplex house at No. 8 Murray Street from Mrs. Dave Bell of Dixie. Mr. Livingston had already owned the east half of the house facing Main street.

H. M. Rogers, well known St. Catharines barrister, has been elected a vice-president and member of the executive of the Provincial Conservative Association. Mr. Rogers was elected at the Toronto meeting in face of stiff opposition.

## RADIO OWNERS FINED

In the last week, about 34 people have been fined for failing to purchase a radio license, 20 people from Grimsby, and 14 from Niagara-on-the-Lake. In every case but one, the fines and costs amounted to \$5, which is considerably more than the \$2.50 it costs to buy a radio license in the first place. The single exception to the \$5 fine was a Niagara woman who failed to pay or appear in court. She was fined \$5.50.

## LIONS CLUB

Professor R. C. Melvor, M.A., Ph.D., associate professor of political economy at McMaster University, was the guest speaker at a well attended dinner meeting of the Grimsby Lions Club, held at the Village Inn on Tuesday evening.

Professor Melvor's subject was extremely timely, and his lengthy address on the international trade and "dollar problem" was of interest to an attentive audience.

President Earl J. Marsh presided over the meeting, which was spotted with several "high-jinks" by several of the Lion members.

The regular directors' meeting, it was announced by the President, will be held on Tuesday, November 29th, at 8 p.m., at The Village Inn.



By Gord McGregor

An extremely delicate situation has developed this week, although it has been seething for months—and even years. It concerns a simple quantity known as H<sub>2</sub>O—or just plain water, if you prefer. The North Grimsby Township Council have been working overtime to try and lower the water rate being charged by the Town of Grimsby who supply the residents of the township with the necessary ingredients to take a Saturday bath, make a pot of tea or keep the grass on the front lawn. At the conclusion of two hearings by the Municipal Board, matters are, if anything, worse off than before.

While the Township asked for a lowering of the rate at the hearing held in St. Catharines, the Town inferred that rather than a lower rate, the Township would be indeed fortunate if the rate would not be increased. This, of course, came as very disturbing news to John Aikens, Reeve of the Township, who was in rare form for the hearing, although he was without the services of his lieutenant Sam Bartlett, at present recovering from an appendectomy.

The Town threw another little buzz bomb at the hearing, claiming that actually the board had no jurisdiction to even sit on this case. This rung the bell for a quick T.K.O., and even flustered the Board, who promised to delve into this matter and find out if they were actually within their rights to hear the case.

The Board did recommend that the Town and Township get together like the good men that they are, and work out their own problem. This sounds okay, but it is going to be a trifle more difficult than it sounds.

We don't suppose that it will be necessary for the residents of the Township to start putting assorted pails, barrels and other bric-a-brac out as a means of catching free rain. Although it would be a lot cheaper—and perhaps there would be just about as much pressure as sometimes exists in the lines in the far reaches of the Township.

The man who can come up with a quick and sure-fire answer to this problem, could, without much trouble obtain the undying gratitude of our local politicians, who, during their stay in office, have had most every meeting of Council sprinkled with a generous dose of plain water. . . not even spiked! Yet!

Whether you want to hear it or not, the fact remains that there are only 32 shopping days left until Christmas. Of course if our merchants continue to close on Wednesday afternoon, that brings it down to . . . let me see . . . 32, minus five half days . . . would be two and a half days . . . there are 29 and a half shopping days left until Christmas.

Now in case you haven't been paying much attention to the local stores, they have stocked up with everything imaginable for granddaddy and Junior, so why spend time going to the noisy old city. The prices aren't one darn bit lower, but the crowds are a heck of a lot tougher to get through than they are right here in Grimsby. Shopping in your own home town will make Christmas brighter for everyone.

Margaret Lynn Munn, Miss Canada of 1949, won the crown for the title of Miss North America, at the beauty contest held in Lima, Peru, this past week. The gracious Miss Munn, whose thrilling voice and charming personality has won her many friends and admirers these past few months, was declared the winner over 21 girls from both South and North America. She undoubtedly was a competent goodwill ambassador for her native Canada. Her sponsor in the Miss Canada Pageant, Miss Peggy O'Neil, was notified on Tuesday, and, needless to say, Miss O'Neil was extremely pleased that her candidate had come out on top below the border. Miss Munn is expected back in Canada this weekend, and will appear at the Village Inn Supper Dance later within a few weeks.

## CONTINUATIONS

### JORDAN HARBOUR

once a harbour where lake shipping made regular calls, and a small shipbuilding was begun. The pond has been nearly filled in as far as the bridge, but at one time it was a receiving basin for vessels that came up to the base of Ball's Falls to take on cargoes of lumber and grain. Some rotting piles are all that is left of the pioneer wharf and landing stage which was on the old mill road.

Shipbuilding, a trade demanding much skill and experience, was begun at the side of a low round hill known as Hog's Back. There, in 1862, the Flying Dutchman was built from the fine hardwood and native white pine on the surrounding plains. An early register of lake shipping compiled in 1864 lists Bridgeport as the name of the place of construction, with Richard Gilbert her builder and Moses Overholt her owner. The last heard of the Flying Dutchman she was being used for shipping barley from the Bay of Quinte to the United States, and was owned by two men from Wolfe Island and Napanee.

Although the port on Jordan pond continued to be used for 50 years, no other vessels were built there. In the early days the south-west end of Lake Ontario became noted as the graveyard for many vessels caught by a roaring easterly gale. When trapped by such a storm, sailors would seek refuge in Jordan harbour where gaping seams could be caulked with Jordan mud, particularly suitable for the purpose. The Paddy Young, flung upon the beach at Winona, was dragged to Jordan pond for repairs.

Less fortunate was the John Wesley, nicknamed Punch because of the round punchon shape of the hull. She was wrecked on the beach near Jordan and her heavy timbers could be seen for years until they became covered by sand.

Robert Gourley in his statistical account of Upper Canada, written in 1818, stated that Twenty Mile Creek which flows into the Jordan pond was navigable for craft of five to twenty tons. There lake vessels loaded apples, peaches and berries for transport to St. Catharines, Hamilton and Toronto until improved roads and rail shipping gained most of the carrying trade.

Where the town of Jordan now stands was a vast forest of fine trees when the settlement first began in 1787. Germans from Pennsylvania and New York are said to have been the first settlers at a time when wild land could be bought for 30 cents an acre.

At this time St. Catharines was known as Shipman's Tavern, or The Twelve, and was surrounded by a vast pine forest. Two or three houses stood beside the Tavern and the only connection between the scattered settlements was the stage coach which followed an Indian trail. Later this trail was named the Stone Road and finally Highway No. 8.

Salmon were plentiful in the Twenty as far as Ball's Falls and were speared with pitchforks. The farmers were continuously menaced by bears, wolves and venomous snakes. Not knowing what wild wild vegetation was edible, the settlers used to follow the cows around while waiting for their crops to grow, and what Bossie ate, they would pick for themselves.

By 1817 there were two grist mills and five sawmills around Jordan, as well as a sawmill and a tannery up near the Dwarf Village. Dean's Mill in Clinton Township is one of the few mills that remained in operation until modern times. Only recently was it dismantled and the timbers sold.

Ball's Falls, a few miles southeast of Vineland, is today only a scenic spot but during the War of 1812, it was a thriving village known as Glen Elgin in honour of Lord Elgin, former Governor-General of Canada. At that time eleven or twelve homes were located there and the village boasted two blacksmith shops, sawmills, cooper shops and flour mills, one of which was known as Ball's Mill.

Besides supplying flour to soldiers and armies all the way to the border, this commodity was also shipped to Montreal. It was carted by wagon part way, then shipped by scow to Jordan harbour. During the War of 1812 these mills were of sufficient importance to warrant a guard which is believed to have been a detachment from the 104th British Regiment. For many years the following lines were legible, written on the balcony of an old house in red chalk: "The blessings of God attend this house."

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## SCHOOL AREA MEETING

A meeting of the School Boards, Municipal Councillors and High School Principals of the Municipalities of Grimsby, Beamsville, Clinton Twp., North Grimsby Twp., Louth Twp., and Gainsboro Twp., will be held in the High School Auditorium, Beamsville, on Wednesday, November 23, at 8:00 p.m. (standard time) to discuss the formation of the new West Lincoln High School District.

Inspector S. D. Rendall of the Department of Education will be present. It is hoped that every Board and Council will be represented at this meeting.

## DENTAL ASSOCIATION MEETS IN GRIMSBY

Last Friday night the Niagara District Dental Association held their second regular meeting at The Village Inn, with Dr. Eton Butcher of Port Colborne presiding. About forty members were in attendance.

The clinicians for the evening were Dr. Zack of Buffalo, N. Y., Dr. Don Johnson of Niagara Falls, and Dr. Aubrey Cricht of Grimsby Beach.

Following the business part of the meeting a delicious buffet luncheon was served by the hostess, Miss Peggy O'Neil.

## VINEMOUNT NEWS

Thursday and Friday, Nov. 24th and 25th, will be big nights at Vinemount Hall, when the Vinemount Drama Guild presents Charlotte Brontë's famous classic, JANE EYRE, a dramatization in three acts by Marjorie Carleton, directed by Stuart Jeffries.

The cast is as follows: Mrs. Fairfax, Edna Carleton; Grace Poole, Anna Johnson; Jane Eyre, Alfreda Jeffries; Mr. Rochester, Stuart Jeffries; Mr. Mason, Steve Kurpe; Blanche Ingram, Audrey Gliddon; Lady Ingram, Muriel Shuker; Mr. Wood, Clifford Robinson; the Maniac.

The stage manager will be Tony Elliott, assisted by Frank Kurpe, and the prompter is Eileen Cooke. The Stage set is by Den Shuker, Dick Miller, Tony Elliott, and Frank Kurpe.

The Guild is looking forward to full houses both nights, with doors opening at 8.15 p.m. sharp, daylight saving time.

Several men of the district have gone to the north country to hunt deer, as is their custom every year. The local hunters are Messrs: Jack Purcell, Gordon Purcell, Vern Penfold, and Earl Travis. Mrs. Jack Purcell accompanied her husband.

Good luck, Gentlemen. The Ladies Aid of the Tapleytown United Church held their annual Bazaar in the local school, Friday night at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Houslander was chairman for the evening. A large crowd en-

joyed an excellent program, provided by local and visiting artists. A pleasant feature of the evening was a presentation to Mrs. George Reynolds by Mrs. Leslie Thomas, on behalf of the Ladies Aid. Mrs. Reynolds is an outstanding musician, and will be missed very much as they recently left the community. The members had several tables of fancy work, aprons, home made baking, etc., etc. The members of the Aid served refreshments.

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Alway, Miss Jessie K., Hamilton	Oct. '50
Elmer, Lorne, Beamsville	Jan. '50
Bodduke, Metro, Grimsby	April '50
Branham, Mrs. E., Grimsby Beach	Oct. '50
Woodward, A. J., St. Catharines	Feb. '50
Hyland, Mrs. E., Grimsby	Dec. '49
Bert Boulter, Smithville	Aug. '50
Jas. Monaghan, Holland Centre	Nov. '50
St. Cath.-Lincoln Health Unit, St. Catharines	Oct. '50
Geo. Marr, Grimsby	Oct. '50
J. H. Gillespie, Grimsby	Oct. '50
Mrs. Wm. Stogren, Grimsby Beach	Oct. '50
T. K. Griffith, Grimsby	Oct. '50
R. O. Smith, Grimsby	Oct. '50
Albert Jarvis, Grimsby	Oct. '50
Director of Income Tax, Hamilton	Oct. '50
Harold Lake, Winona	Oct. '50
Geo. Spencer, Grimsby	Jan. '51

Miss F. A. Brown, Grimsby Beach Oct. '50  
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